

Monday, December 20, 1943

Elmer L. Harlacher Dies Sunday Night Former Decatur Man Dies in Greenville

Elmer L. Harlacher, 68, former prominent Decatur resident, died Sunday at his home in Greenville, O. Although he had been in failing health because of a heart ailment for the past year, his death was unexpected.

Mr. Harlacher was well-known to farm residents throughout this area through his many years of work as a sugar beet fieldman, originally with the old Holland-St. Louis Company, later with the Central Sugar Company, until he was forced to retire because of ill health in 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlacher moved to Greenville following his retirement. While a resident of Decatur, he was an active member of the First Christian Church.

He is survived by the widow, Stella; one daughter, Mrs. William Coats, also of Greenville and a brother, J. E. Harlacher of Dayton, O.

Funeral services will be held at the 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Greenville, with Rev. Kenneth Timmons, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city officiating. Burial will be at Greenville.

Friday, March 7, 1943

Frauhiger-Fiechter Wedding on Sunday

In an impressive ceremony solemnized at 1:30 Sunday afternoon at the Apostolic Christian Church Miss Doris Frauhiger, daughter of Levi Frauhiger of the Vera Cruz vicinity, and Melvin Fiechter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Fiechter near Craigville, were united in marriage.

Rev. Samuel Aeschliman officiated in the service, which was witnessed by the congregation of the church.

Miss Irene Frauhiger, sister of the bride and Mr. Homer Fiechter, brother of the bridegroom, served as attendants.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kaehr.

Before her marriage Miss Frauhiger was employed at the General Electric plant in Decatur.

The couple will make their home on a farm east of Craigville, where Mr. Fiechter is engaged in farming.

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